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Dorman, Thomas M. (PSC) Thursda lovember 20, 2003 1:10 PM

To: Subject: 'Joseph Redmon' RE: Doe Valley

Dear Mr. Redmon:

The Commission is in receipt of your e-mail correspondence of November 19, 2003 concerning the above case. Your e-mail requesting withdrawal of the PSC in providing oversight of Doe Valley Utility Company has been placed in the official case file of this proceeding. The Commission will consider your remarks as contained in your e-mail of November 19, 2003.

Thank you for your interest and concern in this matter.

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2003-00360 ----Original Message-----From: Joseph Redmon [mailto:redmonj@bbtel.com] Sent: Wednesday, November 19, 2003 11:29 AM To: thomas.dorman@mail.state.ky.us Subject:

Mr. Dorman --

I am requesting the withdrawal of the PSC from providing oversight to the Doe Valley Utility Company. I base my request upon the following

- 1. Doe Valley Utilities is NOT a "public" accomodation. The fact six customers are actually outside the confines of Doe Valley proper is due to past geographic necessity, not company policy. Our water service is NOT offered to the general public.
- 2. Almost all of the nearly 600 families in Doe Valley favor a course of action OPPOSITE of the course of action chosen by the PSC's econometric modeling. We absolutely choose to spend more money NOW (on a new state-of-the-art treatment facility) and ensure the future viability of our lake rather than save money now (by buying our water from the county water company) and "hope for the best". This majority is unusual in a democratic society -- I'm not talking about 90% -- I'm talking about over 99% of Doe Valley residents want the Doe Valley Utility company to remain "private" (most of us thought it was ALWAYS "private") in order to retain ultimate control of the lake & its resources.
- 3. Our local political representatives, from the Judge Executive Bill Haynes (270-422-3967) and 2d District Magistrate Herbie Chism favor this 99% majority. Our State Senator (Senator Virgil Moore) has been contacted as well.
- 4. I respectfully request the review of your decision that Doe Valley's water company be regulated as any other "public utility". It is not. It never has been. And, the taxpaying, voting public in Doe Valley overwhelmingly desires the PSC to withdraw its services.

Thank you.

Joseph Redmon